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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALLEN, 3, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, Golden Square, 80, Cornhill, GORDON & GORDON, Leadenhall Street, E.C. 3. HARRIS, HENRY & CO., 15, Old Bailey, E.C. 4. SAMPSON, LAMSON & CO., 150 & 151, Leadenhall Street.
NEW YORK.—ANDREW WILD, 133, Nassau Street.
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney.
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAN & BLAIR, San Francisco.
CHINA.—SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLS & CO., Hongkong, HEDDERLEY & CO., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., KAILI & WAIKAI, Manila, C. HENDERSON & CO., Macao, L. A. DA SILVA.

BANKS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, 500,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—H. HOPKINS, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—F. D. SAMPSON, Esq.
E. R. BELLING, Esq. WILKINSON REID, Esq.
W. E. FORBES, Esq. Ed. TOWN, Esq.
Hon. W. KESWICK. Ed. TOWN, Esq.
A. MOLVER, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGERS.

Hongkong, .. THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. Manager.
Shanghai, .. EDWIN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS, .. London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED
ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road West.
Hongkong, March 29, 1876.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

CAPITAL, 2,000,000.
RESERVE FUND, 1,110,000.

BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE CITY BANK.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH IN HONGKONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.
Local Bills discounted, and interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Deposits for fixed periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

For Sale.

AERATED WATERS.
IN
COTT'S PATENT GLASS STOPPERED BOTTLES.

FROM the 1st July, the Price of all kinds of AERATED WATERS will be only
FORTY CENTS PER DOZEN.
SARSAPARILLA WATER,
70 CENTS PER DOZEN.

ED. CHASTEL,
2, Wyndham Street, opposite the Hongkong Club.
Hongkong, June 20, 1877. 1730

FOR SALE.

TO CONTRACTORS, HOUSE BUILDERS, SHIP BUILDERS, AND CARPENTERS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have Received a Shipment of
FIRST-CLASS MANILA HARDWOOD, of different kinds, and of the Very Best Quality, Suitable for HOUSE BUILDING, SHIP BUILDING, and for all kinds of Work requiring Timber of the most durable nature.

— ALSO —
A Good Assortment of Logs and Planks of TEAK WOOD of the most Superior Quality.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, July 15, 1877. 1719

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
CUTLER, PALMER & Co.
Celebrated
Brands of WINES and SPIRITS.
Apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, June 22, 1876.
NOW READY.

A CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT. Part I. A to K, with Introduction. Royal 8vo. pp. 202. By ERNEST JOHN RYAN, Ph.D. Tübingen.
Price, Two Dollars and a Half.
To be had from Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai; and Messrs KILBY & WALKER, Shanghai.
Hongkong, February 8, 1877.

Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sale Room, Praya Central, on
FRIDAY,
the 27th July, 1877, at Noon,—

An Assorted Invoice of FANCY GOODS, comprising: Watch Stands, Purses, Harmoniums, Snuff Boxes, Meerschaum Cigar Tubes, Albums, Walking Sticks, Pencils, Tooth Brushes, Tooth Combs, Pocket Flasks, Linen Handkerchiefs, Stockings, Lamp Chimnies, Soda Water Tumblers.

Also,
5 cases, Vulcan Safety Matches.
20 boxes White Beans.
50 Lemons and Girard's Revolvers.
1 case Glass Ornaments for Ladies' Dresses.
etc. etc. etc.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.17. The Lot or Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, July 24, 1877. 1727

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MESSESS LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to sell by Public Auction, on
TUESDAY,
the 31st July, 1877, at 11 a.m., at Her Majesty's Ordnance Stores, Queen's Road East,—

The following UNSERVICEABLE GOVERNMENT STORES:—

Old Bedding, Blankets, Brass Canvas, Copper, Cordage, Horse Shoe Nails, Pony Shoes, Horse Rugs, Parts of Harness, Cast and Wrought Iron, Leather, Cotton Linen, and Woolen Articles, Sand Bags, Waterproof Shoes, Steel, Timber, Tin, Tents, Zinc, Great Coats, Waterproof Ditto, Wicker Helmets, Cement Casks, Packing Cases, and various Miscellaneous Articles.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. All faults and errors of description to be at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

F. C. P. SILVEIRA,
Senior Ordnance Officer.
Ordnance Office,
Hongkong, July 25, 1877. 1741

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
MR. EDWARD BOWNE will Conduct the Business of my Office, during my Temporary Absence from the Colony.

R. H. CAIRNE,
Surveyor to Local Offices,
and Lloyd's Register of Shipping.
2, Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 17, 1877. 1618

NOTICE.
BY Mutual Consent, the Firm of FRANKS, ROBERT & Co. has been DISSOLVED on this Day.

R. FREERES,
G. F. RODATZ.
Hongkong, June 30, 1877.

THE Undersigned, Establishing themselves as GENERAL STOREKEEPERS under the Style and Firm of ROBERT & Co., have taken over the Business of the late Firm of FRANKS, ROBERT & Co.
G. F. RODATZ,
G. KOCH.
Hongkong, July 2, 1877. 1729

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been Appointed AGENT at this Port for THE PORT-PORT GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).
W. H. NOBLEY.
Hongkong, June 8, 1877.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
MR. F. C. DITMER is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration.
SANDER & Co.
Hongkong, June 23, 1877.

NOTICE.
FROM this Date Mr. EDWARD SHEPPARD and Mr. M. W. GREEN, are authorized to Sign the name of our Firm per Procuration at Foochow, and Mr. F. F. ELWELL at Amoy.
RUSSELL & Co., del.
China, June 1, 1877.

Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND, at the Rate of 3% or \$2.25 per SHARE, Declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of Shareholders held this Day, will be Payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on and after FRIDAY, the 27th Instant.

Shareholders are requested to apply at the Office of the Company for Warrants.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
P. A. DA COSTA,
Secretary.
Hongkong, July 25, 1877.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Eleventh Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 31st Instant, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, W. H. RAY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, July 9, 1877. 1731

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN Extraordinary MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 31st Instant, at 3.30 p.m., in order to take into consideration a Special Resolution to amend a Regulation to the existing Articles of Association of the Company, authorizing the Company so far to modify the conditions contained in its Memorandum of Association, as by subdivision of its existing Shares to divide its Capital into Shares of smaller amount than is fixed by its Memorandum of Association, in accordance with the provisions of Sections XX and XXI of "The Companies' Ordinance 1877."

By Order, W. H. RAY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, July 9, 1877. 1731

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1876.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the Year ending 31st December 1876, for the purpose of the distribution of the Net Profits received for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not received prior to the 31st August next, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.
Hongkong, May 1, 1877. 161

HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 28th Instant, both days inclusive.
A. NEWTON,
Manager.
Hongkong, July 2, 1877. 1729

DENTAL NOTICE.
ON and after the 28th of May, Dr. STOUTS Consulting and Operating ROOMS will be on the Ground Floor of the Hotel de l'Univers.

Hongkong, May 28, 1877.

DENTAL NOTICE.
DR. ROGERS has Returned to Hongkong and will be ready to Receive Patients on MONDAY, June 25th.

Office, No. 7, Arbuthnot Road.
Hongkong, June 20, 1877.

Intimations.

DEVOS'S BRILLIANT OIL.
RELIABLE.
ECONOMICAL.
SAFE!!

DESIRING to tempt by the world-wide reputation of one Oil, certain parties have attempted to imitate our packages. Suits at law have been instituted against the MAKERS and VENDORS of these imitations. Buyers should be careful to see that the words "DEVOS'S BRILLIANT" are stamped on the top of the can.

THE DEVOS MANUFACTURING CO.,
80 Beaver and 127 Peel Streets,
NEW YORK, U. S. A.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR HOLLAND.
The Steamship "OLYMPIA,"
NACHT, Master, will be despatched for the above Port, on FRIDAY, the 27th Instant, at 8 a.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.,
Hongkong, July 25, 1877. 1727

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.
The "HIGHLANDER,"
HUTCHINSON, Master, will load here and will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
Hongkong, May 24, 1877.

FOR NEW YORK.
The "HIGHLANDER,"
HUTCHINSON, Master, will load here and will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
Hongkong, June 2, 1877.

FOR NEW YORK.
The "MATTHEWS,"
J. C. DAVIS, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
Hongkong, June 28, 1877.

FOR LONDON.
The "ROBERT HENDERSON,"
GUIN, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
Hongkong, June 11, 1877.

FOR HAMBURG.
The "LORD MACAULAY,"
Capt. MOREMAN, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
Hongkong, July 23, 1877.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The "ST. VICTOR,"
W. D. TANN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have immediate despatch.
For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
Hongkong, July 23, 1877.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The "M. I. British Ship,"
T. ROBERTS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,
Hongkong, June 2, 1877.

FOR LONDON.
The "STANTON,"
having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
Hongkong, June 20, 1877. 1729

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.
FOR LONDON.
The 1004 1 German Ship
"POLYNESIA,"
SCHWABER, Master, will load here and have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, July 11, 1877.

Notices to Consignees.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

S. S. "DJEMNAH."

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. "Gange," from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees, before 10 a.m., at Noon, requesting it to be landed here.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.
Goods remaining unclaimed after SATURDAY, the 28th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
H. DE FOUEY,
Agent.
Hongkong, July 22, 1877. 1728

BARQUE KAISOW, FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
DOUGLAS LAPRAKE & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 23, 1877. 1730

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. "Glenroy" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk and stored in the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Shanghai, unless notice to the contrary is given before 1 p.m. To-day.
Cargo remaining undelivered after the 30th Instant will be subject to rent.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 23, 1877. 1730

FROM KURACHEE.

THE British Barque "Twilight" having arrived from the above Port, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 23, 1877. 1730

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE BRITISH BARK "PENSLOW," FROM ANTWERP.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
MEYER & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 25, 1877. 1731

DANISH SHIP "DORIS BRODERSEN," FROM SAIGON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
MEYER & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 21, 1877.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
H. DE FOUEY,
Agent.
J. G. No. 1, 1 case Books, from Marseilles.
Remedios & Co.,
Hongkong, July 14, 1877. 1729

Mails.



STEAM FOR
Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, Mediterranean Ports, Southampton, and London.

Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, and Australia.

THE PANICULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "PEKIN," Captain Woolcott, will leave this on SATURDAY, the 28th July, at Noon.

For further Particulars, apply to
A. LIND, Superintendent.
Hongkong, July 18, 1877. 1728

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF PEKING" will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on MONDAY, the 30th Instant, 1877, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.
Through Passengers' Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, and to New York and Europe via OVERLAND RAILWAYS.

A Steamer of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Company will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date, and make close connection at Yokohama.
At New York, Passengers have selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France and Germany.
Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m., 29th Instant. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Office in Spalding Buildings, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.
For security's sake, Shippers of Overland Cargo are requested to endorse on the Envelope the Marks and Nos. of Packages Shipped, to correspond with those in their Bills of Lading.
For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

Hongkong, July 20, 1877. 1730

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUZ, ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES.

ALSO, BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.

ON SATURDAY, the 4th August, 1877, at Noon, the Company's S. S. "PEHO," Commandant LÉONOTTE, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, FREIGHT, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.
Cargo and Speeds will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.
Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Speeds and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 3rd August, 1877. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)
Contents and value of Packages are required.
For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

H. DE FOUEY,
Agent.
Hongkong, July 24, 1877. 1731

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL

and UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES.

ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. "OCEANIC" will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 7th August, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States and Europe.
Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai.
Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 6th Proximo. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Return Passage Tickets available for 6 months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent. on regular rates.
For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.
G. B. SMYTH, Agent.
Hongkong, July 17, 1877. 1729

Intimations.

W. BAILLIE,
CHINA DISPENSARY.

IMPORTER OF DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
DRUGGISTS' Sundries, TOILET
REQUISITES, PATENT MEDI-
CINES AND PERFUMES.

Prescriptions Dispensed with Carefulness
and Prompt Attention.

PRAYA WEST, HONGKONG,

Near the Canton Steamer's Wharf.
Hongkong, July 18, 1876.

AH YON,

SHIPS' COMPRADORE AND
STEVEDORE,

No. 57, Praya West.

SHIPPING SUPPLIED WITH ALL KINDS OF
COAL, WATER, BALLAST, FRESH
PROVISIONS & OILMAN'S
STORES.

Of the best quality and at the shortest notice.
Hongkong, May 1, 1876.

NOTICE.

MRS. G. B. FALCONER, Widow and
Administratrix of the late G. B.
FALCONER (sole and only Partner of the
Firm of GEORGE FALCONER & Co., Hong-
kong), and Mr. MATTHEW FALCONER,
Brother of the Deceased, beg respectfully
to intimate that they have agreed to CON-
TINUE the BUSINESS now carried on
by the late Mr. FALCONER.

In making this announcement, they have
pleasure in stating that they have made
such arrangements that the efficiency and
high reputation formerly enjoyed by the
Firm, will be maintained in its entirety in
all its branches.

The Stock, as hitherto, will consist of
EVERY ARTICLE of the BEST QUALITY and
WORKMANSHIP, and they hope to be favour-
ed with a continuance of that patronage
which was so liberally extended to the late
Mr. FALCONER, and in soliciting such, no
efforts will be wanting to inspire that con-
fidence on the part of their Customers
which was formerly conducted.

The Business will be carried on in the old
Premises under the same Name and Style
as hitherto, viz.,

GEORGE FALCONER & Co., and

Hongkong, July 2, 1877.

THE UNION MARINE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been Appointed
AGENTS of the above Company at
HONGKONG and FOCHOW, are
prepared to accept Risks and Issue Policies
by any First-Class Steamers, at current
rates, Payable either here, in LONDON, or
in LIVERPOOL, or at the principal Ports of
INDIA and the EAST.

BIRLEY & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 21, 1877.

PIANO TUNING, REPAIRING, &c.

LADIES and GENTLEMEN Desirous of
having their PIANOS REPAIRED
by the Undersigned, will please oblige with
early orders, as he is about to Return to
SHANGHAI.

Orders may be left with Messrs LANE,
CRAWFORD & Co., or Messrs GATF & Co.

A. HAHN,
AU10

Hongkong, July 10, 1877.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for any
Debts contracted by the Officers or Crew
of the following Vessels, during their stay
in Hongkong Harbour:—

MATCHLESS, American ship, Capt. John
C. Dawes.—Douglas Lapraik & Co.

LEADING WIND, American ship, Captain
F. M. Hinkley.—Meyer & Co.

JALO, Russian ship, Capt. C. F. Moberg.
—Order.

EVING, British bark, Captain Braithwaite.
—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

ALPHINGTON, British bark, Captain G.
Cunningham.—Wilder & Co.

ANTWERP, British bark, Capt. Atkins.
—Molchers & Co.

MIGNON, American 3-m. schooner, Capt.
L. H. Soule.—Order.

NORTHERN STAR, British bark, Captain
John Wortley.—Order.

DORIS BRODERSEY, Danish ship, Captain
S. Nielsen.—Order.

TEWIGHT, British bark, Capt. Dalargy.
—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

PENSHAW, British bark, Captain John
S. Alrey.—Meyer & Co.

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Rob. Hudson; Saigon July 16, Rice—
RUSSELL & Co.

July 26, 7 a.m., Peking, British steamer,
2088, Wm. Woolcott, Shanghai July 23,
19 p.m., Malls and General.—P. & O. S.
N. Co.

July 26, Namos, British steamer, 862,
Punchard, Foochow July 21, Amoy 23, and
Swatow 25, General.—DOUGLAS LAPRAIK
& Co.

July 26, Taiwan, British steamer, 408,
M. Young, Tamsui July 23, Amoy 24,
and Swatow 25, General.—DOUGLAS LAPRAIK
& Co.

July 26, Pernambuco, British steamer,
643, Wm. Hyde, Swatow July 25, Sugar—
SIEMSEN & Co.

July 26, Bertha, German bark, 443,
O. H. E. Ring, Quinhon July 20, Salt—
WILDER & Co.

July 26, Spinaway, British bark, 325,
Pringle, Newchwang June 24, Beans—
SIEMSEN & Co.

—SIEMSEN & Co.

DEPARTURES.

July 26, Chow Sze, for Canton.

26, St. Joseph, for Whampoa.

26, Peng-chau-hai, for a cruise.

26, Wealthy Pendleton, for Guam.

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POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS BY THE FRANKLIN PACKET.

The English Contract Packet FRANKLIN
will be despatched with the Mails for
Europe, Asia, and Australia, on
SATURDAY, the 28th inst.

The following will be the hours of closing
the Mails, &c.

Friday, 27th inst.—

8 a.m., Money Order Office closes.

6 p.m., Post Office closes except the NEWS
Box, which remains open all night.

Saturday, 28th inst.—

7 a.m., Post Office opens for sale
of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and
Posting of all correspondence.

10 a.m., Post Office closes except for Late
Letters. Registry of Letters ceases.

10.15 a.m., Letters may be posted with
Late Postage at 18 cents extra.

11 a.m., when the Post Office closes
entirely.

11.30 a.m., Letters (but Letters only)
may be posted on the United Kingdom
to the British Isles, or to Singapore, may
be posted on board the Packet with
Late Postage at 18 cents extra postage,
and

11.50 a.m., when the Mail is finally
closed.

Hongkong, July 26, 1877. 1728

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet CITY OF
PEKING will be despatched on
MONDAY, the 30th inst., with
Mails for Japan, San Francisco,
and the United States, which will be closed
as follows:—

2 p.m., Registry of Letters ceases.

2.30 p.m., Post Office closes.

2.30 p.m., Correspondence for Japan, the
United States, or Union Countries
only may be posted on
board the Packet with Late
Postage at 18 cents extra postage
until

2.50 p.m., when the Mail is finally closed.

Hongkong, July 26, 1877. 1730

Shipping Intelligence.

The following is corrected from the latest
London and Colonial Papers:—

VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

AT HONGKONG.

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

9 a.m.—Olympic leaves for Heligow.

11 a.m.—General Weekly Sale by Messrs
Lane, Crawford & Co.

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